Customer No.: 22927

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Andrew S. Van Luchene et al.

Application No.: 09/107,971

Filed: June 30, 1998

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

FACILITATING THE FRACTIONAL

LOTTERY TICKETS UTILIZING

POINT-OF-SALE TERMINALS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Group Art Unit: 3642 Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Notification of Fee Status Change

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.28

Packet No. 98-024

Please change the fee status of the above-identified application from a small entity to a large entity. This notification is made pursuant to 37 CFR §1.28. The assignee of the above-identified application no longer claims small entity status. Therefore, please change the fee status of the application to that of a large entity. Also change the fee status of any continuing applications claiming benefit under 35 USC §§ 119(e), 120, 121, or 365(c).

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If the Examiner has any questions about this status change, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (203)461-7337. While no fees are believed due in connection with this paper, please charge any fees that may be required for this paper, or with any other papers filed in connection with this application to Deposit Account No. 50-0271.

Respectfully submitted,

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March , 2000 Date

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Sir:

Applicants hereby submit the following documents for the above-identified paterior application: U

- 1. Notification of Fee Status Change; and
- 2. Postcard.

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Respectfully submitted,

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